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## BREVITIES

Today's Weather—Western Oregon and Washington—Cloudy and unsettled, with showers.

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Art rugs? Carpets? Fancy rockers? Iron beds? Go-carts? Stoves? Ranges? Pictures? Frames? Anything in the house furnishing or decorating line? See H. H. Zapf.

Svensen's book store sells all the latest magazines, stationery, school supplies, musical instruments, novelties, pictures, etc., etc.

A dancing party will be given at Knappton tonight in honor of Miss Frances Thomas. The steamer Electro will leave her wharf at 7:30 to accommodate the invited guests, numbering about 30 couples.

Plumbing out of joint? Need some tinwork? Ring up No. 1031 for John A. Montgomery, 425 Bond street, who will promptly attend your wants with the latest sanitary plumbing fixtures and most skilful workmanship. Tinning, gasfitting and heating.

Fishermen: Dixie Queen, in 16-on. pails, 49 cents. P. A. Trullinger.

Interview Trullinger & Hardesty, 423 Commercial street, about your electric work.

The steamer Elmore will leave Astoria for Tillamook bay points Wednesday, April 15, at 8 o'clock a. m.

F. G. T. Moore has started in the clam canning industry at Warrenton, placing an order for cans in Astoria yesterday.

Geo. DeMoss will play two cornets at the same time tonight at the Methodist church. This number alone is worth the price of admission.

If you love orchestra music pay the moderate admission at the Methodist church tonight and hear the DeMoss Concert company. Reserved seats at Griffin's book store.

The concert by the DeMoss entertainers at the Methodist church Tuesday evening, April 14, will beyond question be the event of the season. Tickets at Griffin's book store.

The Oysterville Clam Canning company has also taken up the canning of crabs. C. E. Kerlee, of the company, thinks that the canning of the crab will become a very important industry, as they will, to some extent, take the place of lobster, which are now too scarce and expensive to be extensively used.

**Pears'**

It is a wonderful soap that takes hold quick and does no harm.

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The ladies of the Every Monday club will give a tea and apron sale at the residence of Mrs. Charles S. Brown, Franklin avenue, Tuesday, April 21.

Repairs to the boilers of the steamer Manzanita will be completed this week. Captain Gregory expects to receive orders for a cruise in Alaskan waters soon.

Tom Spencer started up the river with a seining outfit and 20 horses yesterday, in tow of the launch Chinook. The Sanborn-Cutting company will get the fish.

The reserved seat sale for Beaty Bros. moving picture performance at Fishers' Thursday evening opens tomorrow at Griffin's book store, instead of Tuesday as formerly announced.

Smallpox of a malignant type is said to be raging through eastern Oregon. Dr. Woods Hutchinson, state health officer, has gone to the scene to investigate. The cases are reported as very severe.

Deputy Webster was unable to bring his contraband salmon to market in the launch yesterday, because he had so many nets on board there was no room for the fish. Half a ton of fish was captured near Maygers.

William L. Trullinger and Millard F. Hardesty, well known electricians, have formed a partnership and opened a store at 423 Commercial street. They will do a general business in electrical supplies, installing and repairing; for which a long experience gives them eminent qualifications.

SPECIAL ROUND TRIP EXCURSION RATE FOR ASTORIANS VISITING PORTLAND ON PRESIDENT'S DAY, MAY 21. On President's day, May 21, the A. & C. R. R. will sell round trip excursion tickets from Astoria to Portland and return at \$2 for the round trip, good to return May 22.

Otto Vige, cabin boy on the ship C. F. Sargent, had the misfortune to slip on the deck and break a bone in his wrist yesterday. He will be able to make the trip to Alaska with the ship.

There was no regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last evening, a quorum not being present. This was occasioned by the absence of the president from the city and there not being anything of especial importance on hand.

The steamer Edith, Captain Harry Haslin, came down to the fish receiving station at Point Ellice and to Astoria with Hon. J. G. Megier on board yesterday. All is ready at the Brookfield cannery for the opening of the season.

The city churches observed Easter Sunday with appropriate music and exercises. Special anthems and solos were rendered and the Sunday school pupils, under the direction of their teachers as superintendents, acquitted themselves in roles that were much appreciated.

The noted Tracy bloodhounds ran afoul of a sensation yesterday which eclipsed anything heretofore published during their public career. They were dashing their strenuous way along the street, making deep-voiced melody at every jump. Unhampered by keeper

## GRAIN-O

THE PURE GRAIN COFFEE

Even children drink Grain-O because they like it and the doctors say it is good for them. Why not? It contains all of the nourishment of the pure grain and none of the poisons of coffee.

TRY IT TO-DAY.

At grocers everywhere; 15c and 50c. per package.

they were, but with collars linked by a short strap which kept them nicely together. Neck and neck were they on the home stretch when a telegraph pole hove in sight and steered straight between the racing hounds. When their heads came together on the after side of the pole, there were more dog stars in sight than were ever discovered. Both trackers dropped as though shot by Tracy's rifle, and laid there as if done with the rough barks of life. When they finally regained their senses, and feet, they were led home in bayless silence, and they have not yet found out what struck them.

Beaty Bros are the gentlemen that gave the first moving picture show ever given in Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Oregon, Washington, Montana, North Dakota, Idaho, and Utah. These gentlemen have visited every state and Canada and Mexico. It is an acknowledged fact that Beaty Bros. have the only six picture machine on earth with Diamond projecting lens, which they had made to order July 1902 by Thos. H. Edison. These machines have six sprockets which do away with all that quiver. Beaty Bros. have all their pictures made to order and a majority colored. They carry the latest at any and all times, both in moving pictures and illustrated songs. Beaty Bros. are certainly among the most successful show men on the road as they rent all opera houses outright. This show is not to be classed with the cheap shows of which we have had so many. Beaty Bros. play all cities on a guarantee that they give entire satisfaction or money refunded by manager of the opera house. Fishers' opera house, April 15. Admission 35c and 50c.

## NOTICE

By an agreement between the Astoria Loan office and the Retail Clerks' union, this store is allowed to keep open after 6 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of receiving pledges with the understanding that no goods are sold after that hour. C. W. SPRIGGS, Secretary.

## Funeral Notice

The funeral services of the late Charles T. Heilborn will be held on Wednesday at 12:15 p. m. at Grace Episcopal church, conducted by the rector, Rev. Wm. Seymour Short. The procession will leave the residence on Exchange street at 12 m. Friends are invited. The interment at Greenwood will be private.

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## BLOOD HUMOURS

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## Social Dance

Astoria Council No. 106 Young Men's Institute will give a social hop at Hanthorn's hall Wednesday evening, April 15. A pleasant evening is promised to all who attend. Tickets 50c.

## SILVER MARKET.

Silver, 48 1-4.

## WATCH REPAIRING

First-Class Work  
Fine Watches Sold

## BOOK EXCHANGE

CASH PAID FOR BOOKS OF ALL KINDS, OR BOOKS EXCHANGED.

469 Bond Street

## Cheap Fuel.

Pir slabwood, stove lengths, \$2.50 per cord. Boxwood \$1.50 per large load. Phone 2211 Black. Kelly, the transporter.

## Hats Trimmed Free

Mrs. Ingleton has just opened a fine line of spring hats and flowers, with waists, white skirts and muslin underwear. Pompadours and hair switches, and all kinds of ladies and children's furnishing goods at sale prices. Welch block, Astoria, Ore.

## Teachers' Institute

The annual Clatsop county teachers' Institute will be held May 6, 7, and 8 at Astoria. The day sessions in the high school building, evening sessions at the Methodist church. All teachers of this county will be in attendance promptly. The public cordially invited to attend day and evening meetings.

H. S. Lyman, School Supt.

## BEATY BROS.

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Present 50,000 latest colored Moving Pictures, guaranteed not to quiver or blur.

Jack and the Bean Stalk, in 19 beautiful scenes; The Jolly Old Maid From New York; Miss Maudie Allen the Flying Lady, and many others. Also the latest illustrated songs sung by

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America's Greatest Baritone, assisted by.....

CHARLES L. LANGDON

Don't fail to see Beaty Brothers at Fishers' Opera House. Admission 25 and 50 cents. Tickets on sale at Griffin's Book Store.

## GREAT EASTER SALE

**THE BIG SALE IS STILL ON** and will Continue all through Easter Week. This week will be a week of unprecedented selling in every section throughout the entire store, a selling for which many months of exclusive buying has filled our various stocks to the extreme of completeness. We are showing a fine line of **WOMEN'S SUITS, SKIRTS and WAISTS** replete with every touch of elegance that the best designers can supply, and **Men's and Boys high grade Shoes, Clothing and Furnishings.**

## WOMEN'S NECKWEAR.

Our showing is at its height just now, just the kind which fashion demands. You cannot fail to be suited in this stock; and then the prices are so small, as they are at least **ONE-THIRD LESS** than like goods sell for elsewhere.

## NOTIONS

Baby Ribbons, two yards for..... 1c  
Safety Pins, per paper..... 1c  
Best Pins, per paper..... 1c  
Best Six-Cord Thread, per spool..... 2c  
Corset Covers, good muslin..... 5c  
50c Men's Shirts, 36 inches long..... 5c  
Lace Curtains, per pair..... 45c  
Toilet Paper, 10 rolls for..... 35c  
Table Oil Cloth, per yard..... 15c  
Ladies' 50c Sailor Hats..... 25c

## New Spring Wash Goods

32-inch plain white Indian Linen, worth 10c, one sale at..... 5c  
23-inch Fancy Batiste, all colors, many pretty designs, worth 12 and 15c, at..... 8 1/2c  
22-inch White Oxford, one of the latest styles for waists, worth 30 and 35c, on sale at..... 20c  
32-inch Silk Grenadines, very latest 1903 shades, worth 70 and 75c, on sale at..... 50c  
36-inch Fancy Dimities, all designs and neat figures, 1903 styles, worth 25c, on sale at..... 15c

## Sales of New Spring Silks

2500 yards Wash Silk, per yard..... 20c  
27-inch black Taffeta Silk, per yd..... 70c  
36-inch black affeta Silk, per yd..... \$1.19  
55-inch black guaranteed Taffeta Silk, per yard..... \$1.39

## New Suitings for Ladies Wear

33-inch all wool etamine, all colors, regular values 75c, on sale at..... 45c  
54-inch all wool Scotch Suiting, all new shades, worth \$1.35, on sale at..... \$1  
44-inch fancy all wool etamine in colors and black, worth \$1.35, on sale at..... \$1

## Boys Shoes

One pair of Topsy Hose given with the sale of every pair of Boys' shoes.  
Boys' Heavy Box Calf Shoes, worth \$1.50, on sale at..... \$1.35  
Boys' Fine Vici Kid and Box Calf Shoes, worth \$2, at..... \$1.50

## Men's Underwear

A complete stock of Men's Medium and Heavy Weight Underwear.  
Men's fine gauge, heavy cotton, at 45c  
Men's fine wool, worth \$1.25, at..... 90c  
Men's fine gray, all wool, worth \$1.75 at..... \$1.25  
Men's heavy all wool, worth \$2.25 at..... \$1.50

REMEMBER THIS SALE LASTS ONLY TEN DAYS—SO BE QUICK!



## Misses Shoes

One pair of Topsy Hose given with the sale of every pair of misses' shoes  
Misses' heavy box calf shoes, worth \$1.50, at..... \$1.35  
Misses' Fine Vici Kid shoes, light or heavy sole, worth \$2.50, at..... \$1.75

## Ladies Shoes

One pair of Topsy Hose given with every pair of Ladies' Shoes.  
Ladies' fine Vici Kid Shoes, light or heavy soles, worth \$2.50, at..... \$1.95  
Ladies' fine Dongola or Vici Kid regular price \$3.50 and \$3.75, on sale at..... \$2.50

## Men's Shoes

One pair of Topsy Hose given with the sale of every pair of Men's Shoes.  
Men's fine Box Calf Shoes, worth \$3.50, on sale at..... \$2.50  
Men's Fine Blucher Style, New Toe shoes, worth \$4, on sale at..... \$3.25

## Sale of 1903 Kid Gloves

We handle the celebrated J. T. Simmons Glove. Every pair guaranteed.  
Real French Kid, at..... \$1.00  
Fine French Kid, regular price \$1.50 and \$1.75, on sale at..... \$1.25  
The celebrated Admiral brand made by J. T. Simmons & Co. at \$1.50.

## Great Sale of New Lace Curtains

30 pair of new Lace Curtains at..... 50c  
40 pair of new design Lace Curtains worth \$1.40, at..... 95c  
50 pair new lace curtains, every pair worth \$2, at..... \$1.45  
30 pair fine Lace Curtains, new and neat design, made to sell at \$5, at..... \$3.50  
35 pair of Brussels Net, new design, made to sell at \$7.50, on sale at..... \$5

## Boys Clothing

Everything in our Boys' Suit Department TO BE CLEANED UP AT THIS SALE.  
In order to make quick work of this sale, we make some tremendous price concessions that puts this sale in a class by itself.  
25 Boys' two and three-piece suits, all wool, worth \$3.50 and \$4, on sale at..... \$3.50  
33 Boys' two and three-piece suits, worth \$2.50 and \$3, on sale at \$1.95  
27 Boys' two and three-piece suits, worth \$2 to \$2.50, on sale at \$1.50

## HOSIERY

These are without doubt the best Hosiery bargains ever offered in Astoria. These bargains are only made possible by the buying advantages we possess as member of the great syndicate. Remember they are the celebrated TOPSY LINE.

Misses hose ..... 5c  
Ladies' lace hose ..... 25c  
Ladies' fine hose ..... 25c  
Boys' heavy hose ..... 15c  
Men's heavy hose ..... 5c  
Men's fine black hose ..... 10c  
Men's lace hose ..... 25c

## MORSE DEPARTMENT STORE